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STATE PASS EXIMBANK PRIORITY

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TAGS: BPRO, BEXP, BMEP, BTIO, DR

SUBJECT: EXIMBANK BANK GUARANTEE FOR SALE OF BLUE BIRD ALL

AMERICAN BUSES TO MUNICIPALITY OF SANTO DOMINGO

REF: A) STATE 277234, DECEMBER 19, 1974

B) SANTO DOMINGO 5141, DECEMBER 18, 1974

C) STATE 242747, NOVEMBER 5, 1974

D) SANTO DOMINGO 4449, OCTOBER 29, 1974

1. REFS B), C) AND D5& DESCRIBE IN DETAIL THIS TRADE OPPORTUNITY.

WE UNDERSTAND THAT GENERAL MOTORS, AND POSSIBLY AMERICAN MOTORS
AS WELL, ARE ACTING AS INTERMEDIARY FOR BLUE BIRD FOR THIS SALE.

2. EMBASSY PERCEIVES NO POLITICAL OR OTHER REASONS WHY EXIMBANK
SHOULD NOT RPT NOT CONSIDER REQUEST. GUARANTEE BY SECRETARY OF
STATE FOR FINANCE IS A BINDING COMMITMENT BY THE GODR;
MAYOR ESTRELLA HIMSELF IS HOPING TO MAKE THE NEW BUS SERVICE-
SELF-FINANCING, WHICH MAY OR MAY NOT WORK, BUT THE GODR GUARANTEE
DEFINITELY MAKES THIS TRANSACTION SOLID FROM EXIM'S POINT OF VIEW.
ADEQUATE SUPPLIES OF FUEL PRESENT NO PROBLEM FOR THE NEW BUS
SYSTEM; INDEED, REPLACING THE ANTEQUATED TRANSPORTATION SYSTEM
BASED ON PRIVATE TAXIS WITH MMXERN CITY BUSES WILL CONSERVE FUEL
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